

# TOMBSTONE EPITAPH

## ARIZONA KICKER

Published Every Sunday.  
Published Wednesday.  
Tombstone, Cochise County, Arizona.

E. W. Land is over from Bisbee.

Bud Neighbors is a visitor from the Barbacomari.

P. A. D. Martini, the mayor of Fairbank was a Tombstone visitor today.

Chas Douglas has recovered from his illness and beyond a weakness is doing nicely.

M. L. Scribner writes that he will return home from Louisiana about the first part of next month.

A. J. White a well known prospector who has some promising claims in the Dragoon arrived in town today after a load of supplies.

By a new ruling of the post office department all first class registered mail is insured to amount to \$10 without extra cost.

Thos Sorin and wife were visitors today from their Dragoon Mountain home and are receiving congratulations from every hand.

Bob Leatherwood, Capt. Kelton, and Sam Finley are still in the field for the democratic nominations for sheriff of Pima county. Several others are also spoken of.—Citizen.

E. G. Triplett, who is in Mesa looking after the harvesting of his almond crop, expects the yield to be in the neighborhood of 40,000 pounds.

Judge W. F. Nichols was married on the 18th inst. in Napa, Cal., to an estimable lady whom he has known for several years. Mr. and Mrs. Nichols are now at Ocean Grove, near Monterey.

The great Omaha packing plant of Armour & Co. was opened on July 20. Its capacity is 10,000 hogs, 2,000 cattle and 5,000 sheep per day. It is claimed to be the largest plant west of Chicago.

Mrs. W. A. Harwood left yesterday for a month's visit to California. She was accompanied by her daughter Miss Alice Crable, and young son Arthur. They go to Los Angeles and take advantage of the S. P. excursion.

Lieutenant Wainwright, who distinguished himself in the destruction of Cervera's fleet on July 3rd, is a brother of Mrs. J. M. Woods, of Casa Grande. In command of the little yacht Corsair, he tackled two torpedo boats and blew them out of water. The gallant lieutenant was executive officer of the Maine at the time she was treacherously destroyed by the Spaniards, and the interest he took in the fight was of a slightly personal nature.—Florence Tribune.

# MUST BE TRUE.

# Free Silver Congressman to Represent Arizona.

"Arizona may just as well be true to herself this year as send a silver man to congress, elect an honest legislator and proceed to get rid of the obnoxious boards. Fully 99 per cent of the people of this territory are in favor of the free and unlimited coinage of the both money metals. This fact is so well known that it is no use to attempt to deceive congress or the president. When a gold standard man tells you to vote his ticket to secure a silver standard remember that it is only a campaign dodge and that he is selling your support under false pretense. Let us be true to ourselves, to the people of Arizona, and not assist the money power to forge the chains of perpetual bondage. Silver will be enfranchised, a silver man will some day be elected president, and when Arizona is admitted to statehood the silver man will organize the new commonwealth, elect the officials and select two United States senators. You do not to the song of the siren, there is nothing in it but personal aggrandizement for the worst lot of horse men and freebooters that ever secured a temporary reign of control in any country."—Enterprise.

No one can tell where the diamond goes to in combustion. Burn it, and it leaves no ashes the flame is extirpated like that of a cork, and when it has blazed itself out there remains absolutely no trace of it.—Ex.

# NARROW ESCAPE.

# Thrilling Experience of Some Tombstoners Under Fire.

What almost developed into a tragedy, occurred yesterday near the Hudson ranch between Pearce and Tombstone. There was a party of four in a buggy and their experience was one of hair breadth escape from a fusillade of bullets that flew uncomfortably close to each one.

The facts as learned are that on Wednesday Messrs F. F. Gaynor, the mining man, W. C. Staehle, G. H. Fitts and Jas. Barrott left for the Golden State mines in the Dragoons to inspect the property and pay off the men working there. Yesterday the party went to Pearce and while there, Mr. John Martin, who formerly ran a saloon at the Golden State camp, and Mr. Barrott became involved in a quarrel, Martin claiming that he held some orders from employees working at the mine and demanded his money. He was informed that all the men had been paid and the company had their receipts, that more other than time checks would be honored and if he had any dealings with the men individually he must look to them only. Martin became incensed and matters were worse than ever. The party of four soon after started for Tombstone and when at Hudson's ranch were suddenly confronted by Martin, who immediately opened fire with a pistol endangering the lives of all the occupants. Bullets flew thick and fast, several left their marks on the buggy and both horses were wounded. Barrott was armed and returned the fire without effect. The horses started during the excitement and ran about a mile when Martin was again seen coming horseback to head them off. All occupants then jumped out and took to the brush. Martin and Barrott were soon again exchanging compliments until the ammunition gave out. The party then reunited, Mr. Gaynor remaining at the mine, the others coming in last night and reported their experience and warrant being issued for the arrest of Martin. Fortunately no one outside of the horses was injured, although Mr. Barrott has a memento of the occasion by a bullet hole through his hat and a slight scratch on his wrist from a grazing ball.

Martin had some dealings with the company some time since that caused unfriendliness and much feeling, settlement being made in a transfer of bullion and Mr. Fitts left the property that the company does not now own Martin a cent, the claims being orders from some of the employees which he would not recognize and so informed him.

Word was received this afternoon that Martin was arrested at Wilcox and will be brought here at once.

# COMPANIES MUST PAY.

# An Important Decision Regarding Revenue Stamps.

Collector Charles Treat, of the New York district, has received the following ruling from N. B. Scott, commissioner of internal revenue:

"Each bill of lading made out by any common carrier for transportation of goods for the United States under the eighth paragraph of schedule A of the act of June 12, 1898, requires the one cent stamp, as does also each duplicate thereof.

"Notwithstanding the rule adopted by such common carrier, it is the duty of such common carrier to affix the stamp to such bill of lading and duplicate."

"This means," said Collector Treat, "that the express companies and telegraph companies must place the stamps on packages and telegrams themselves. There is no doubt that they come under the head of common carriers."

# WHIPPLE NOTES.

# Items About the Arizona Boys at Headquarters.

About 300 men were vaccinated yesterday by Dr. Lindley and Dr. Smith. The entire regiment will undergo the ordeal as fast as the hospital department can dispose of them.

The e is much less "kicking" among the boys about "grub" since time has developed better cooks and allowed the commissary time to organize his business.

C. J. McCord is expected at headquarters on the 1st of August.

Sunday, the only feature of interest to the public is the dress parade at 5:30 p. m.

As soon as instruments arrive, the band will turn out.

The fact is forcing itself upon the men that they are to remain there for several months. All of them want to go to the front, but are willing to submit to the orders of superiors.

Pay-day the 5th is given out as semi-official and makes the boys feel glad. Many of the volunteers, not realizing the vicissitudes of army life, spent their all at once, and now see where pig, cakes, newspapers, etc., can be used to good advantage.

An old statue just discovered in Kansas entitles the wife of an absent soldier to cast his vote. The Kansas troops having been ordered to the Philippines, the Secretary of State, to comply with the law, must prepare ballots for each company of soldiers, deliver into the hands of the absent suffragists who return them marked to be voted by the wife. By the same law a bachelor can designate some near female relative to do his voting if he so elects.

Hot and cold baths at Miao's barber shop.

W. C. MILLER.  
Postoffice address, Fairbank, Cochise county.  
Range, Barbacomari valley.  
No cattle vented. I sell only to butchers or ship to.

H. C. HERRICK.  
P. O. Address—Fairbank.  
Range—San Pedro.  
Horse brand—on left side.

P. J. HAND.  
Post Office—Lachid, Pima County.  
Range—West Huachuca mountains.

J. D. LOWRY & HERESA.  
P. O. Address—Fairbank, Pima Co. Arizona.  
Horse brand—93 left thigh.  
Other brands.

W. H. KANE.  
P. O. Address—Fairbank, Pima Co. Arizona.  
Range—Headwaters Barbacomari.

F. M. LILES.  
P. O. Address—Fairbank.  
Range—San Pedro.  
Horse brand—SS left hip.

A. J. EASTMAN.  
P. O. Address—Tombstone.  
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J. L. HERRICK.  
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# Could Not Sleep

Suffered With Dyspepsia and Unable to Do His Work—Completely Cured by Hood's Sarsaparilla.

"I suffered with dyspepsia and could not do any kind of housework. I was very nervous and could not sleep. I heard much about Hood's Sarsaparilla that I bought a bottle. I found it gave me relief and I bought six bottles. When I had taken them I was cured. I can now do my housework and can sleep well at night." MARTIN HANSEN, 1739 Prospect Avenue, Helena, Montana.

"I have found Hood's Sarsaparilla excellent for building up and strengthening the system when it is in a run down or exhausted condition." MISS SARAH M. SMOOK, Red Lodge, Montana.

If you have decided to take Hood's Sarsaparilla do not be induced to buy any other. Get Hood's and only Hood's.

**Hood's Sarsaparilla**  
Is the best to take for One True Blood Purifier. Sold by all druggists. 51, six for \$5.

GEO. ASTON.  
Address—Bisbee.  
Range—San Pedro River.

ANTONIO SOLO.  
Postoffice address, Redington, Pima county.  
Range, Lower San Pedro.  
Also following brand.

PACKARD CATTLE CO.  
Post office address Tombstone.  
Range: Here for I.

TOM FIDWELL.  
Address Tombstone.  
Range, Dragoon Mountains.

P. A. LOFGREEN.  
Postoffice Address, St. David.  
Range—San Pedro river.

JOHN MONTZ.  
Address, Tombstone.  
Range—Granite Springs.

FRANK WILD.  
Address—Fairbank.  
Range—Whetstone.

T. J. TURNER.  
P. O. Address—Fairbank.  
Range—Barbacomari.

FRED RUCH.  
Address San Simon, Arizona.  
Range—San Simon Valley.

F. E. BRALEY.  
Postoffice Tombstone.  
Range, Dragoon Mountains.

C. E. LANDERS.  
P. O. Address—Fairbank.  
Range—Cochise in Pima county.

O DONNEL BROS.  
P. O. Address—Fairbank.  
Range—Barbacomari.

PETER GOULD.  
P. G. Address—St. David.  
Range—San Pedro.

JOHN H. SLAUGHTER.  
Address, Tombstone, Range San Pedro.  
Cattle branded as in cut.

The above are branded on the left side but brand are not legible. All increase branded

JACOB SHEARER.  
Address, Tombstone, Range, Sulphur Spring Valley.

J. COGSWELL.  
Address, Rucker, Range, White water.  
Horse brand—left hind leg.

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GEO. SHEARER.  
Address, Dragoon, Range, Rucker.  
Horse brand—left hind leg.

F. W. HEVNER, Estate.  
Address, Rucker, Range, White water.

H. H. HOLLENSTEIN.  
Address, Bisbee, Range, Mader's Canyon.  
Other Brand—HHA on left.

W. H. WEEKS, Estate.  
Address, Pearce, Range, San Pedro River, North of Benson.  
Manager, H. W. Horse Brand, W on left hip.

J. S. FRANK, Estate.  
Postoffice Address, Benson.  
Range—White stone Mts.

LEVALL & CO.  
Address, Tombstone, Arizona.  
Range, Sulphur Spring Valley.  
Horse brand—left N on left shoulder.

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Range, South Pass.

F. E. BRALEY.  
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Range, Dragoon Mountains.

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V. VICKERS, President and Manager.  
Tombstone, Arizona.  
J. W. WILLIAMS, Vice President, Bisbee, Arizona.  
J. W. GATES, Treasurer, Los Angeles, California.  
Fairly range between Chiricahua and Dragoon mountains in Cochise county. Struck on Eagle and Santa Cruz in Graham county, Arizona; Santa Cruz, New Mexico, and Sherman Co., Texas.

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